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NEWS IN BRIEF.

Horse flesh is sold for food in San Francisco.

Eugene Debs has been released from jail, after serving six months' sentence.

Governor Morton will announce himself a candidate for the presidency.

Literary men in Paris are trying to obtain the release of Oscar Wilde.

Emile Zola refused to sign a petition to that end.

Zella Nicolaus has been paid \$5000 by George Gould, and the case against the millionaire railway magnate has been dismissed.

Durrant's attorneys have made an appeal to the Supreme Court, and pending the decision sentence has been suspended.

The Alameda sugar works has closed down. If the ruling prices of sugar continue the plant will lose money on the year's product.

The total production of sugar in Peru in 1894 was about 75,000,000 pounds upon an investment of nearly \$18,000,000. There are nearly 25,000 persons engaged in the industry.

John W. Flood, the defaulting ex-cashier of the Donohue-Kelly bank, San Francisco, will now serve a sentence of seven years' imprisonment, the Supreme Court having dismissed his appeal.

Major C. T. Pictou is manager of the State Hotel at Denison, Texas, which the traveling men say is one of the best hotels in that section. In speaking of Chamberlain's Cholera, Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy, Major Pictou says: "I have used it myself and in my family for several years, and take pleasure in saying that I consider it an infallible cure for cholera and dysentery. I always recommend it, and have frequently administered it to my guests in the hotel, and in every case it has proven itself worthy of unqualified endorsement. For sale by all dealers. BENSON, SMITH & Co., agents for H. I.

MINISTER SMITH'S VISIT

He Talks About Hawaii to New Zealand People.

PRaise COLONIAL INHABITANTS.

Expresses Opinion in Favor of Free Trade Between Australasian Colonies. In Telephones and Electric Lighting the Islands Ahead of New Zealand.

The New Zealand Herald of November 30th, in speaking of the visit of Attorney-General W. O. Smith and Hon. Geo. N. Wilcox to Auckland and the Colonies says:

During the present month New Zealand has been honored by a visit from two leading Hawaiian statesmen, namely, the Hon. William O. Smith, the Attorney-General, and Mr. G. N. Wilcox, a member of the Hawaiian Senate, who came here partly for a holiday trip, but principally to watch certain features of our land laws, which have been adopted by the Legislature of Hawaii, as in actual operation. As the stay of these gentlemen, extending over a period of some three weeks, is just about to terminate—for they leave by the Alameda today—a Herald representative waited upon the Hon. W. O. Smith, in order to obtain, if possible, his impressions of the colony, which could hardly fail to be of interest, considering his important mission and wide political and social experience. Mr. Smith received our representative with the utmost courtesy, and at once expressed his willingness to give his opinions of what he had seen.

"Perhaps you might at the outset say, whether the special object of your visit to our colony has been satisfactorily accomplished?"

Having replied in the affirmative, Mr. Smith proceeded: "Our Government having adopted certain features of the New Zealand Amended Land Act of 1892 of the disposition of our public lands, Mr. Wilcox and myself came here to learn something more of the details of the working of this law. Of course we had to adapt the New Zealand Act to our conditions. We have been extremely interested in what we have seen, and we have received most valuable assistance and information from the Premier (Mr. Seddon), from the Surveyor-General (Mr. Percy Smith), and also from Sir Robert Stout. Leaving Auckland a few weeks ago, we have been to Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin, returning from Wellington overland through the Lake district, passing Lake Taupo on our road to Rotorua; and then back to Auckland once again."

"Having traversed the country from north to south, how did the colony itself and colonial life so far as your experience of these things went, strike you?"

"From a political point of view," replied Mr. Smith, "we were extremely interested in all matters of government, and these present some features which are in advance of what we have been accustomed to. Then, again, we have been greatly interested in the people themselves, and in the country and its products. One of the most pleasant impressions left upon our minds has been the feeling that we were in the midst of a commonwealth, if I may call it so, of intelligent Anglo-Saxon people. Though some of your problems of government seem to us rather perplexing, there are strong grounds for confidence and hope for the future in the high standard of intelligence among the people. In Hawaii we have a population made up of several different races, but here you are one common people. Then your educational system pleased us very much, and there seemed to be among you a higher standard of public morals than is found in some communities. The government seems to be of a decidedly paternal character, and its various features present a most interesting study. There certainly seem to be possible dangers, but the great ground for confidence is, after all, in the body of intelligence among the people."

"And what about the country itself, Mr. Smith?"

"I was just proceeding to say that we were delighted with the diversity of the physical features of the country. Then there is the variety of its products and its great resources, which open vast possibilities for the future. It may not be improper for me to say here that to us as strangers it seems rather hard to understand why there should not be complete free trade between the Australasian colonies. They have so many interests in common that it seems as though they all must benefit from a mutual interchange of commodities. It is a rash thing for a stranger to make suggestions, but I will venture the suggestion that your colony would be equally well off with biennial sessions of Parliament as with annual sessions."

"Have you anything to say about our land laws—your special mission?"

"Yes, we came here more particularly to learn about the working of your land system and land laws—and, incidentally, other features of your Government. We have learned much that is instructive, and we have seen some things it would appear well to avoid. I will return to Hawaii feeling that I have gained much by coming here, and I hope that the relations—

commercial and otherwise—between Hawaii and New Zealand and the other colonies will continue to grow, and to become of greater mutual benefit. For the kindness we have received, and the hospitality of the people of New Zealand, I can find no words to adequately express my admiration."

Referring to some of our more advanced legislation, as it is called, Mr. Smith said: "My feeling is just this: There is danger in going to extremes in labor legislation, but you have a safeguard in the reserve force of intelligence among the people. Here you have one race speaking one language; while in Hawaii we have to deal with five races, speaking as many different languages—Hawaiian, English, Portuguese, Chinese and Japanese. There is also great danger in your far-reaching State undertakings. The enormous amount of patronage placed in the hands of those in power might prove a source of evil if you ceased to have men of the highest character at the head of affairs."

In the course of some further conversation Mr. Smith said: "There are at least two things of which I think we can boast in the Hawaiian Islands, and they are our telephone system and our electric lighting. In both these matters we are decidedly ahead of New Zealand. In Honolulu we have over 1200 telephones connected with the central system, and they are worked more satisfactorily and with far less delay than those of your colony. We do not use the old-fashioned telephone such as that you have in use here, excepting perhaps in the country districts. Anyone familiar with your system and ours would admit that ours was the best. Then as to electric lighting, I have seen no city in New Zealand as well lighted as Honolulu."

Mr. Smith concluded by again expressing, on behalf of himself and Mr. Wilcox, his thanks for the great kindnesses he had received on all hands, both from public officials and private individuals. They would certainly recommend their friends to pay New Zealand a visit.

DAMAGED BY WATER.

Hackfeld's Warehouse Flooded. Fire Engine at Work.

The members of No. 1 Engine had some real active work to do last night, and in pretty rough weather, too. The heavy rainfall caused several people considerable inconvenience, but to the warehouse of H. Hackfeld the downpour did a great deal of damage. The flood of water from the sidewalk into the basement was easily swept into drain holes and kept from doing any harm.

The sewer on the street, however, was taxed a little too much, and several breaks caused the cellar to be completely flooded. A large quantity of lime and cement was considerably damaged. The Fire Department was called upon to render assistance. The members of No. 1 Engine responded, and after four hours' hard work succeeded in relieving the basement of the bulk of the water. The goods were removed to an upper floor and the breaks in the sewer stopped up with cement.

The firm will suffer a loss of nearly a thousand dollars.

BRITISH WARSHIP.

The Wild Swan Arrives from the North—Cruise South.

The British war vessel Wild Swan arrived in port at 4 p.m. yesterday on her way south. She left Esquimaux, B. C., on November 21st at 9 o'clock. The Wild Swan will take on coal here and remain about two weeks awaiting further orders. She carries only eight guns, and is one of the smallest war vessels of the English navy. Her engines are 800 horse-power. Following is a list of the officers of the Wild Swan:

Commander Macvey Napier.
Senior Lieutenant Wm. D. Church.
Lieutenants Sampson, Sladen, Digby, St. A. P. Weston, R. H. Hatchcock.
Paymaster Chas. H. A. Ward.
Surgeon A. B. Marriott.
Engineer H. Garford.
Gunner F. G. Blewett.

Anxious About Larry Dee.

The relatives and friends of Larry Dee are beginning to get anxious about that gentleman's safety. Nothing has been heard of Mr. Dee since he left for the Coast, and it is feared some accident has befallen him. Mr. Dee, it will be remembered, went to San Francisco for the purpose of disposing of a carriage which belonged to the late King Kalakaua, and lately purchased by him at auction and used for a time as a public conveyance. It was Mr. Dee's intention to charter a sailing vessel and bring a load of hay and grain to the islands, he being engaged in that line of business in the old armory on Beretania street.

AID FOR PACIFIC CABLE.

Imperial Government Will Subsidize an All-British Route

COMMISSION TO BE APPOINTED.

Colonial Officials Confer With Secretary Chamberlain—British Promoters Discuss Spalding—Fast Steam Service Between Canada and England

LONDON, Nov. 19.—The Agents-General of the Australasian colonies, with the exception of Mr. Thomas Playford (South Australia) and Sir Malcolm Fraser (Western Australia), waited upon Mr. Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, today with the view of discussing the question in reference to the granting of a subsidy by the Imperial government toward the projected Pacific cable.

Mr. Chamberlain, in reply to the representations of the Agents-General, said that the Imperial government had decided to promote the laying of a cable across the Pacific on condition that it should be confined to British territory. A royal commission of six members would be appointed. It would be empowered to call witnesses, to inquire as to the best route and the cost of survey, to ascertain the cost of laying duplicate cables as well as a single cable, and to report upon the entire question.

The home government and the Canadian government are to each nominate two members of the commission, and the Australasian governments together the other two.

Mr. Chamberlain said he regarded the deputation as a meeting of a council of the empire. The presence of delegates from Cape Colony and Natal was an evidence of solidarity and sympathy. He considered that there was a fair prospect of the cable paying.

Action of the Premier.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Nov. 22.—Yesterday the Premier received a cablegram from the Agent-General (Sir Saul Samuel) announcing that the Secretary of State for the Colonies (Mr. Chamberlain) had approved of the appointment of a commission on the question of the Pacific cable, the commission to consist of six members, two to be elected by the mother country, two by Canada, and two by Australia and New Zealand. The Agent-General asked Mr. Reid to communicate the contents of the cablegram to the Premiers of the other Australasian colonies, which Mr. Reid immediately did. Last night the Premier received a reply from the Premier of New Zealand, asking him to suggest a course to be pursued by the four colonies interested with reference to the election of the two delegates. Mr. Reid will communicate with the Premiers of the other colonies on this point.

The Pacific Cable and Mail.

LONDON, Nov. 25.—The Times considers it is urgent that the Colonies should select their ablest delegates as cable commissioners, and declares that Mr. Chamberlain has requested tenders to be called for an Atlantic steam service before deciding the method of assistance. He also demands increased railway speed to Vancouver. Mr. Chamberlain will not aid the Pacific mail beyond poundage for mails, holding this to be a local section service.

Pacific-Atlantic Service.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The Ottawa correspondent of the Times telegraphs that the announcement that the Imperial Government has decided to grant a subsidy toward the establishment of a fast steam service between Canada and England, in conjunction with the Vancouver line, has given much satisfaction in Canada.

The Pacific Cable.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—The officials of the Colonial Office consider that if Mr. Spalding's parleyings with the French Cable Company meet with any result the financial prospects of a British Pacific cable will be greatly prejudiced.

Alaska Boundary Survey.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The United States has been compelled to abandon its contention as to the exact location of the 141st meridian, between Mount St. Elias and the Arctic ocean. It appears now that the country was almost brought to the point of open hostilities with Great Britain over the north and south boundary line between Alaska and British North America, because of the action of the Chief of Coast and Geodetic Survey in distributing the patronage of his office, according to the authority of an official of the Survey Bureau.

Some Famous Artists.

Mr. and Miss Mitchell, brother and sister of Melba, the famous prima donna, were through passengers by the Alameda. They are

journeying to New York, where the great singer is now performing. Since the retirement of Patti, Melba enjoys reputation as the finest soprano in the world. Both Mr. and Miss Mitchell are artists of note in the Colonies; and will, upon arriving at New York, join their relative in touring the States and Europe.

Practice Shell for Healanis.

A practice shell arrived by the Alameda for the Healanis Boat Club. It is similar to the others received from the Colonies, with the exception that the new one has patent ear-locks. The shell is the same length as those now used by the club and was constructed by the same celebrated boat builders of Australia. It will be delivered today.

CANNIBALS WANTED HIM.

Experiences of Preston Harrison in the South Sea Islands.

Preston Harrison, who spent some time in Honolulu during the first part of the year, was a through passenger by the Alameda. Mr. Harrison has been sojourning in the islands of the South Seas, and during the time has visited places seldom, if ever, seen by the ordinary traveler. During a few minutes conversation with Mr. Harrison yesterday, that gentleman told of having miraculously escaped death at the hands of cannibalistic natives of one of the lower islands. Mr. Harrison recounted several exciting experiences through which he passed by the aid of a great deal of personal courage. In the course of his travels, Mr. Harrison saw a great deal of Samoa, and was paid much attention to by King Malietoa and chiefs of high and low degree. Mr. Harrison is a son of the late Carter Harrison, who was murdered in Chicago while mayor of that city. He was for a time managing owner of the Chicago Times, and is a polished and versatile writer and correspondent. When the gentleman returns home, an extended account of his visit to Hawaii and the South Seas will be published.

A TRAVELING COMEDIAN.

Slade Murray. En Route to the Coast—Good Actor.

Slade Murray, a star comedian from England who has been under engagement at different places in Australia, for the past six years, was on board the Oceanic liner Alameda. The gentlemen was taken in charge by Manager Cameron and Mr. Wirth and shown the city yesterday. The actor held a levee at the wharf previous to the departure of the steamer.

Mr. Murray is en route to San Francisco, where he will appear before the public for some time. The actor is an old friend of Mr. Wirth and Manager Cameron, and is known to the members of the circus now here, all of whom were on hand to bid him bon voyage.

Mr. Murray spoke in flattering terms of Wirth's circus and those connected with it. He says they are good people, and deserve the best treatment of all classes.

THE HAWAIIAN NIGHTINGALE.

Mrs. Montague-Turner Returns to Reside in Honolulu.

Miss Annis Montague (Mrs. Chas. Turner) returned to her island home yesterday. It is over two years since this gifted singer and her husband left the shores of Hawaii full of bright hopes for a brilliant season in the Colonies, where both were so popular. She returns a widow. For the last year Mrs. Turner has been teaching singing in Sydney. After the first of next year Mrs. Turner intends giving instruction in singing here. Before leaving Sydney a grand entertainment was given in honor of the "diva," which was attended by a large and fashionable audience.

Purser McComb Entertains.

Purser Thomas McComb sent out hacks for several of his Honolulu friends last night and entertained them in royal style in the saloon of the Australia. The inclement weather did not prevent the friends of the popular purser from spending a pleasant time.

M'ARTHUR ON HAWAII.

Kalakaua and Liliuokalani Responsible for Heathenism.

CONVERTS AMONG THE NATIVES.

Great Hopes for the Hawaiians Now that They Are in the Enjoyment of a Pure and Free Government—Officers of State are Especially Praised.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The Rev. Robert Stewart McArthur delivered a sermon in the Calvary Baptist church last night on "The Responsibility of Kalakaua and Liliuokalani."

After referring to the characteristics of the Hawaiians he quoted figures to show the falling off in the number of Christian converts among the natives since the reign of Kamehameha V, who removed all restraint from the Hula masters and Kahuna influence and thereby aided the spread of idolatry.

From 1838, when missionaries first visited the islands, to 1848, 27,000 converts to Christianity were made. Twenty thousand more converts joined the Christian standard within the next twenty years. In 1888 there were only 5235 converts among the natives of the islands, and within the next three or four years the number was still further decreased. This alarming falling off was not to be ascribed to the large decrease in the native population.

Among the causes which the preacher held responsible for the reaction in the spread of Christianity in the islands was the rise of the Kahuna and Hula masters. The former is a form of superstitious worship and the latter a kind of priest who favored the practice of idolatrous ceremonies. The worst forms of heathenism were revived under Kalakaua, who formed the Hula Nana Society.

Liliuokalani, who succeeded her brother Kalakaua, was little better than he.

Dr. McArthur said he had great hopes for the Hawaiians now that they were in the enjoyment of a pure and free government. He enjoined the officers of state, who are administering the affairs of the people.

"They are good Christian men," he claimed, "and their government is the purest in the world today."

TO THE NORTH POLE.

Professor Dyche of Kansas University Will Make an Effort to Reach It.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 1.—A special to the Journal from Topeka, Kan., says:

In the course of a controversy today Professor L. L. Dyche of the Kansas State University stated that he had received an offer to go in quest of the North Pole, and that he had about concluded to accept it.

"The sole and fatal obstacle which has stopped Arctic explorers from finding the pole," said the Professor, "is not cold. The explorers have started out with a lunch in their pockets, as though they were simply going out for a day's run on the bike. There is no healthier region in all the world than inside the Arctic circle. There is no danger from the cold. I was within less than 1,000 miles of the pole last summer, and I suffered no more from cold than the people of Kansas will during the coming winter."

"Every Arctic expedition yet set afoot has simply started out. It is almost beyond belief how little in the way of supplies those fellows who have been up north took along. Give me plenty to eat and I think I can get to the North Pole as easily as I got within 800 miles. Good old-fashioned grub should be the watchword of the Arctic explorer."

"I will start out with provisions enough to last ten or twelve years. I will take my time; though, of course, I do not propose to spend any such number of years in making that trip, but I want provisions enough to establish well stocked camps at points not more than a day's sledge journey apart."

"My idea is to creep around the western coast of Greenland and never try to cross the mountains. I would establish camps at intervals, in which I would store great quantities of provisions, and then move on to other camps, where I would plant more provisions."

"I believe that most of the Arctic explorers have made their greatest effort to go north in the summer. For my part, I shall choose the winter. The natural means of locomotion in these parts is sledding, and that is certain to be at its best in winter."

PULL DOWN THE FLAG.

Canadian Students Will Not Let the American Students Celebrate.

TORONTO (Ont.), Nov. 28.—A number of American students at the Ontario Veterinary College in this city today proceeded to celebrate Thanksgiving by hoisting the stars and stripes in the lecture room. There were about 150 students in the hall at the time, three fourths of them being from the States.

The Canadians objected to being lectured under the stars and stripes, and proceeded to attack the flag. After a tussle they succeeded in hauling it down, but the Yankees were not dismayed, and proceeded to chalk out their country's flag on the black-board.

A general fight ensued, which was continued for over half an hour. The Canadians galloped their point, and the bunting and chalk were put out of sight. In the melee a dozen students were injured, but none of them seriously.

ously. Some were cut in the face, others had their eyes put in mourning, while others were bled through the medium of their noses.

The fighting was not checked until the arrival of President Smith.

Pultzer's Gift to Paris.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—The monumental bronze group, designed and constructed by Auguste Bartholdi and representing Washington and Lafayette, which was presented to the city of Paris by Joseph Pultzer, will be unveiled tomorrow in the presence of a distinguished assemblage, including the surviving members of the Lafayette family. The municipality has erected a handsome pedestal at the western end of the Place des Etats Unis, which is in the midst of the most fashionable quarter of Paris, the Swedish Legation being at one end of the place, while on the south side of the place is located ex President Casimir-Perier's beautiful mansion.

Exit the Seals.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—An official report received at the Treasury Department states that by actual count 28,000 seals died of starvation on the Pribilof islands last summer because their mothers had been killed at sea, and that fully 5,000 more were on the island in a starving condition. It would die before the season closed. It is estimated that at this rate of loss the seals of Bering sea will have become extinct within the next three or four years at the farthest.

MESSAGE OF CLEVELAND.

Will Make no Recommendations of Changes in the Tariff.

Advocate Strong Measures with Regard to Cuba and the Venezuela Boundary—Hawaiian Policy.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The Journal's special from Washington is as follows:

Every thought is concentrated on the coming message of the president. The cabinet has heard parts of it read, and there are some reasonable conclusions that can now be drawn as to its drift. First, the president is really estopped from recommending any changes in the tariff, despite the words of disapproval appended with his signature to the Wilson bill. He will, therefore, recommend raising the increased revenue by internal taxation.

Second, Mr. Cleveland's financial views have not undergone any change. He still maintains that treasury notes and greenbacks are a constant and permanent menace to the gold reserve.

Third, the president is committed to some recommendations on Great Britain's encroachment on Venezuela. During Judge Gresham's life the attitude of the president regarding these British encroachments in South America was positively known. Gresham believed our Hawaiian policy had been wise, but its unpopularity admonished him to find a release in which this Government might with dignity assert itself. Not long before his death he stated in his hearing his belief that the Venezuelan boundary question would soon become one of such gravity that the United States could not avoid asserting itself in a most emphatic manner. The last congress adopted a resolution asking the president to interpose, and he made certain representations to Great Britain that have met with scant courtesy. That the president will suggest in strong terms the necessity of a settlement of the dispute by arbitration is regarded as certain.

However much he may sympathize with the struggling Cubans reasonable authority exists for saying that the president will not recommend intervention. In the interest of humanity a possibility exists that Mr. Cleveland may suggest the making of an appeal for peace. Turkey is a long way off, and considerable may be said in protest against the massacre of Armenians without any fear of committing the American people to armed interference. The Alaska boundary and Bering sea fisheries do not appear to give uneasiness at the State Department. For that reason it will in all probability not be considered of sufficient importance to be dwelt upon at length. Comments upon various other departments of the Government supply the remainder of the necessary 15,000 words.

TO RESTRICT IMMIGRATION.

Senator Lodge Will Introduce by Request Such a Bill in the Senate.

BOSTON, Nov. 28.—Hon. Samuel W. McCall has been selected by the Executive Committee of the Immigration Restriction League to introduce into the national House of Representatives a bill prepared by the League to further restrict immigration. This bill adds to the classes at present excluded from the United States the following:

"All persons between the ages of 14 and 60 who cannot both read and write the English language, or some other language."

This provision, if it becomes a law, it is asserted, will keep out 20 per cent. of the most undesirable immigrants who now come here. Senator Lodge has been selected to introduce the bill in the Senate.

Aid to Ex-Confederates.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—A special to the Post from Washington says:

Representative Otey, a Virginia Congressman, announces his purpose to introduce a bill to appropriate \$27,000,000 for the benefit of ex-Confederates. The bill is conditional upon an equal amount being appropriated by the States in which the Confederate veterans live. His proposition is founded on the plea that the \$27,000,000 represents the proceeds of captured property turned into the Federal Treasury during the war, and that the people of the South have a moral claim for the money.

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Alterations, Improvements and Extension Made to Building—Satisfactory Work of the Librarian.

Your Administration Committee have the honor to make the following report of matters in their department during the year last past.

During that period there has been no material change in the general routine or methods of internal administration, and the same employees continue to perform their respective duties with intelligence and efficiency that are entirely satisfactory to the committee. The librarian has, however, made certain alterations in the manner of keeping the records of the circulating department, which she is confident will be of material assistance in several ways. The introduction of any changes while keeping up the current routine of work necessitates, of course, considerable extra labor for a time, but it is believed there will be a saving of time and trouble in the end. The librarian will explain the matter in detail if desired.

The most important event of the year for this association has been the extension to our premises. The need for such an extension has been increasingly evident for several years, but the matter has been deferred until the association seemed to be in a position that would justify the necessary expenditure. That position having been at last fortunately reached, the undertaking was duly authorized at a meeting of the association in June last, and the details agreed upon and the plans adopted at a meeting of the trustees in the month following.

It was decided at the same time that the whole building should have a thorough overhauling and various repairs and improvements be made, the most important of which, at least so far as the comfort of the members is concerned, is the putting of wire mosquito netting in all the windows and doors.

In view of the peculiar nature of the work to be done and the probability that intending contractors would allow a very liberal margin of profit in making their estimates so as to cover the uncertainties inherent in work of this kind, it was recommended by the architect that it be done by day's work under the superintendence of some competent and reliable foreman to be selected by him. This advice was followed and Mr. Wilhelm engaged as superintendent.

As the work progressed it was found that much more had to be done than was originally anticipated. A portion of the old structure, which it had been supposed could be utilized as part of the new construction, was found to be unfit for the purpose and had to be demolished and entirely rebuilt. The overhauling of the old building constantly brought to light unexpected defects that had to be remedied, sometimes at considerable expense. The result has been that the total cost has very much exceeded the original estimates, and the internal fitting and furnishing has still further swelled the aggregate.

We have, however, the satisfaction of knowing that the work is well done and that the practical accommodations of the institution have been largely increased in just the department where the additional facilities were most imperatively needed. What has been done need not be described in detail. The work shows for itself. Attention may be properly called, however, to the greatly improved lighting of the circulating library, due to an additional skylight of the same size as the original one, and the cutting of narrow windows in all the alcoves above and below on the street side. Instead of the external appearance of the building having been injured, as was feared by some, the substitution of windows for an uninteresting stretch of dead wall must be regarded as a decided improvement. The substitution of open, iron skeleton book cases on the main floor for the solid wooden cases that have now all been removed to the gallery is, in the opinion of your committee, a decided improvement. About two-thirds has been added to the area of the circulating department and about the same to the reading capacity. The improvement in light, airiness and general appearance to say nothing of the comfort and convenience of both librarian and visitors, cannot be expressed in percentages.

The Administration Committee having been constituted a building committee for the purpose of the work now under consideration, to separate report of operations in that line will be presented. Appended to this report will be found a statement of the total cost of the additions, alterations and improvements made, with the cost of each part of the work shown separately.

All this work has been done; the roof shored up, the rear and one side of the circulating library entirely removed, foundations laid and the new portion built and joined to the old, the entire interior of the circulating department rearranged, involving the moving of all the books, some of them several times, without the current work of the institution being interrupted for a single day. For this remarkable result the credit is due first, to the architect for the admirable way in which he planned and arranged the details of his work; and second, to the librarian for her very complete order and system as well as painstaking and laborious personal service without which the results obtained would have been impossible.

In view of this large amount of extra work, lasting several months, and so efficiently and cheerfully performed, your committee think that something in the way of extra compensation for the librarian would be no more than just and reasonable, and recommend that such an appropriation be made, the amount to be such as the Association may think best.

The matter of additional attendance for the rooms is one that claims our attention. It has been customary to close at 8 o'clock p. m. Members of the association, including trustees, have expressed a desire to have the evening hours extended. It seems to the committee that it cannot be reasonably expected that our janitor, whose work in future will be materially increased from what it was before the recent additions to the building, should be expected to do anything more than at present. In fact, considering that the building has to be taken care of, opened and closed etc. on Sundays as well as on other days, his work may now be considered as rather excessive. It is suggested that an attempt be made to obtain the services of some intelligent and trustworthy young person of either sex, to attend regularly in the evenings. If such a one can be obtained for a moderate sum it would result in increased accommodations for our members and a more intelligent attendance, so far as knowledge of books is concerned, than our janitor, who is a Japanese, though an exceptionally valuable man in his way, can render.

The new matting that was purchased several months ago proved to be of very poor quality and began to go to pieces almost as soon as it was laid. After considerable negotiation and delay the parties from whom it was bought refunded one-half of the purchase money and other matting was bought from another concern. The cost of making this change will be found in the report of the treasurer.

The cost of the new building and repairs to the old, including superintendence, totals \$5,882 88.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. T. RODGERS,
W. F. ALLEN,
HENRY WATERHOUSE,
Administration Committee.
Honolulu, December 6, 1895.

In 1892, Mr. A. L. Goldwater, who owns three retail drug stores in New York City, having learned of the great value of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for colds, croup and whooping cough, ordered a supply for his customers. It met with so much favor that he found it necessary to soon order more, and during the winter sold over two gross of the remedy. He says it gives the best satisfaction of any cough cure he has ever handled. For sale at 50 cents per bottle by all dealers. BENSON, SMITH & CO., agents for H. I.

NOTICE OF SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

—AT—

PUBLIC AUCTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in pursuance of an order of the Circuit Court of the First Circuit, Republic of Hawaii, made on the 26th day of November, 1895, in the matter of the Estate of ONO IUKO, deceased, the undersigned the Executor of said estate, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to confirmation by said Circuit Court,

On Monday, the 23rd Day of December, 1895

AT 12 O'CLOCK MERIDIAN,

At the front door of Aliiolani Hale, Honolulu, all of the right, title and interest of said estate, (subject to a lease for 30 years, computing from the 1st day of December, 1870, at a rental of \$12.00 per annum), in and to the following described piece or parcel of land:

Beginning on the side by boundary of Kalalo, mauka of this runs South 34 45 140 4-12 feet, along the boundary of Kalalo's house lot, to the stone x near the edge of the palm of the pond of Kawa. South corner of Kalalo; thence runs nearly to the corner of pond to the cave of Heian on edge of pond, on the corner of the Kahahawai's house lot; thence North 87 West 215 feet along Kahahawai and along Kapau to post; thence runs along to beginning.

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KEALOHA IUKO,

Executrix of the Estate of Ono Iuko, deceased.

Honolulu, November 30th, 1895.

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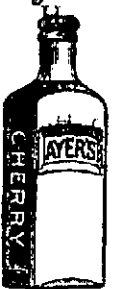
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Nestle's Milk Food for infants has, during 25 years, grown in favor with both doctors and mothers throughout the world, and is now unquestionably not only the best substitute for mother's milk, but the food which agrees with the largest percentage of infants. It gives strength and stamina to resist the weakening effects of hot weather, and has saved the lives of thousands of infants. To any mother sending her address, and mentioning this paper, we will send samples and description of Nestle's Milk Food. Thos. Looming & Co., Sole Agts, 29 Murray St., N. Y.

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PRAISE SERVICE AT SETTLEMENT

Father Wendelin Sends Toys from France for the Lepers—Outline Matters of Health Board—All Kinds of Fish Can be Secured at Market.

President Waterhouse occupied the chair at Wednesday's regular weekly session of the Board of Health. Present with him were Doctors Day and Wood, member Kellipio and Health Agent Reynolds.

Minutes of the previous regular and executive sessions were read and approved.

Report of inspection of slaughter house read and filed.

Father Wendelin wrote from France, enclosing bill of lading for \$50 worth of toys for the leper settlement. He requested that they be sent to Molokai. The goods arrived by the Coptic, and will be forwarded to the settlement by first steamer.

Permission was granted to the lepers to hold a midnight praise service in the Y. M. C. A. building at the settlement on Christmas Eve.

All restrictions were removed on fishing in streams other than Nuuanu stream and the harbor proper. A line drawn from the slaughterhouse to the quarantine island, thence to fan buoy and to retaining wall on Waikiki side of the harbor.

It was voted to allow the patches near the Insane Asylum to be again planted with taro. Two months have elapsed since the last case of cholera in that locality.

The question of boarding vessels at Kahului came up on request of the officials there. The Board of Health Agent is in the habit of boarding all vessels, whether steam or sail, and if anything suspicious is found, report to be made and the port physician consulted.

The question of receiving the new fumigation plant came up, but was laid over till the return of W. O. Smith.

Reports of Fish Inspector Kellipio were examined and filed. They showed the various kinds of fish consumed from November 27th to December 10th to be 95,000 in round numbers. Hereafter, crabs and all kinds of fish can be purchased at the market.

The question regarding continuance of the quarantine station at its present site came up, but went over till the next meeting.

WRAY TAYLOR'S CONCERT.

Program of the Entertainment at Kaunakapili Church.

The principal event of this week will undoubtedly be the entertainment at Kaunakapili Church, Saturday evening, under the direction of Wray Taylor, for the benefit of the Lepers' Merry Christmas. The admission will be fifty cents and tickets are on sale at the various bookstores; they can also be obtained at the church door the evening of the entertainment. A full house should be present to hear the following very interesting program:

1. Organ Solo—Overture.....Clark Wray Taylor.
2. Reverie in G.....Fauconier Nuuanu Sextette Club.
3. Song—"Because I love you, dear".....Hawley Miss Kulamann Ward.
4. Violin Solo—Concerto.....De Beriot Miss Ingersoll.
5. Song—Selected.....Miss Kate Field.
6. Corn song in costume.....Kawalehoo Seminary chorus.
7. Piano Solo—Montguard.....Miss Alice Rice.
8. Selections on the hand bells.....Armstrong Smith's pupils.

President Dole at the Circus.

A party, composed of President Dole, Mrs. Dole, E. P. Dole, Mr. and Mrs. Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sesser, Colonel W. F. Allen and wife, Professor Scott and Mrs. Day and Wood, attended Wirth's circus last evening on special invitation of the management. A portion of the reserved seats was set apart for the presidential party, around which was draped Hawaiian and American flags. As the party entered the tent the circus band played "Hawaii Ponoi."

Hawaii and the Canal.

The Trans-Mississippi Congress opened its annual session at

Omaha Nov. 26th. Hugh Craig of San Francisco discussed Hawaii and the Nicaragua Canal.

Zimmerman Defeated.

Zimmerman, the champion cyclist of America, met defeat in his first race in the Colonies by J. W. Parsons, ten-mile champion of Australia, and who is looked upon as a most promising wheelman. When Zimmerman's trip was first arranged Parsons was the one man thought capable of lowering his colors. He is but twenty years of age and is possessed of great strength, which he uses to good advantage on the grass tracks, on which he is accustomed to ride.

NEW LINE OF STEAMERS.

Coast Capitalists Will Inaugurate Service to Other Islands.

Attorney Charles Creighton was spoken to yesterday about the new line of steamers which will be put on between San Francisco and the island of Hawaii. He stated that it was the intention of the company to put on two, and possibly three, steamers on the line. These will be constructed especially for island traffic and be able to steam fifteen knots per hour. The promoters believe there is more than sufficient traffic to make the new line between the Coast and points on the other islands a profitable undertaking. It is not the intention of the company to take sugar as freight, at least not for some time after the service is in operation, and then only in small quantities to make up a cargo. The projected line will not interfere with the Wilder and Inter-Island companies, except so far as saving double handling of freight for the big island. Arrangements are now being perfected, and it is hoped sufficient inducements can be shown which will justify the Hawaiian Government in granting aid to the line.

Mr. Creighton would have begun necessary preliminary work at this end of the line some time ago, but a pressure of law business has prevented. It is understood the promoters of the new line are responsible and moneyed men at the Coast. Some interest will be assumed by parties located in the islands. The steamers will be under the Hawaiian flag.

U. S. S. BALTIMORE.

Been Nearly Around the World Since Leaving San Francisco.

When the U. S. S. Baltimore, now en route from the China station, reaches San Francisco it will be three years since the handsome cruiser visited that port. In the meantime she has been nearly around the world. She was at the great naval review at Fortress Monroe, and from that place went to the Orient via the Suez canal.

The Baltimore has not more than twenty of her original crew on board, the balance being scattered through the Asiatic fleet. The reason of this is that all the short term men, or those whose term of service is to expire shortly, have been transferred to the cruiser, and her men had to take the places of those who are coming home. The Baltimore's crew consequently is made up of men from the Charleston, Concord, Petrel, Detroit, Yorktown, Machias and Monocacy.

Since her arrival at the China station the Baltimore has been the flagship of Admiral Carpenter. Commodore McNear, who left San Francisco recently to relieve Admiral Carpenter, will raise his flag on the Olympia, making that vessel his flagship during his stay in the Orient.

School Teacher Fined.

Deputy Marshal Hitchcock returned from Kaneohe yesterday morning, where he went to represent the Government in the case of Breckinridge, until lately a school teacher at Holoaloa, charged with a serious crime. The defendant was convicted and fined \$50 and costs. An appeal was taken to the Circuit Court and Breckinridge released on bail.

Everywhere We Go

We find some one who has been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and people on all hands are praising this great medicine for what it has done for them and their friends. Taken in time Hood's Sarsaparilla prevents serious illness by keeping the blood pure and all the organs in a healthy condition. It is a great blood purifier.

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Claus Spreckels has offered \$600,000 for a block of San Francisco realty on Hayes, Market and Larkin streets.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN.

New Books Received During the Year and Other Data.

The report of the librarian from October 1, 1894, to September 30, 1895, as made to the trustees of the Honolulu Library and Reading Room Association at the recent annual meeting, was as follows: Number of books in circulation, 6151; average per month, 512 7-12; average per day, about 19 2-3; books added to the library, 503; by purchase, 293; periodicals bound, 55; presented by Senator Morgan, volume of reports, 28; by United States Government, 11; Hawaiian Legation at Washington, 3; W. Irving Colby, 1; President S. B. Dole, 1; Hon. C. R. Bishop, bound volumes, 76; ditto, paper covered, 32, besides magazines and pamphlets; Dr. C. M. Hyde, 2; Mrs. H. C. Coleman, 1; loss of members by subscription, 11; by departures from town, 20; by death, 2; total loss, 35. There have been twenty-six new subscribers; the number of regular subscribers September 30, 1895, was 168; transient subscribers during the year, 111.

Work on the building during the months of August, September, October and part of November made no difference in the attendance at the reading room, or in the circulation of books. A comparison of the figures for the past two years shows increased use of the library.

Escaped by Chance.

Will Whitney, son of Dr. Whitney, had a narrow escape from figuring in the terrible trolley-car accident that occurred in Cleveland, O., November 18th. Mr. Whitney was about to board the fated car when his cousin, who accompanied him, suggested that they wait for one following in about five minutes. They took the second car and reached the draw-bridge shortly after the work of securing the bodies of the victims from the river had begun.

Frank L. Holland, of the Bank of Salt Lake, Utah, was one of the passengers by the Australia. He expects to remain on the islands some time. He is domiciled at the Hawaiian Hotel.

When most needed it is not unusual for your family physician to be away from home. Such was the experience of Mr. J. Y. Schenck, editor of the Caddo, Ind. Ter., Banner, when his little girl, two years of age was threatened with a severe attack of croup. He says: "My wife insisted that I go for the doctor, but as our family physician was out of town I purchased a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which relieved her immediately. I will not be without it in the future." 50 cent bottles for sale by all dealers BENSON, SMITH & Co., agents for H.I.

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The business offers a fine chance for one or more active men.

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H. W. SCHMIDT, Assignee of the Estate of Otsuki & Co. 4161-11

Assignee's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN duly appointed assignee in bankruptcy of the estate of S. Kasamatsu, notice is hereby given to all persons to present immediately their claims against the Pacific Trading Company of Honolulu and Sunrise Store of Honolulu, duly authenticated, to the undersigned at the office of Messrs. H. Hackfeld and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

C. BOSSER, Assignee, Estate of S. Kasamatsu. 4167 1809-11

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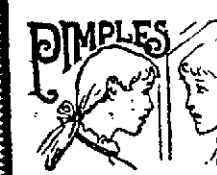
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ISSUED TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

W. R. FARRINGTON, EDITOR.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1895.

The death of Judge Bickerton removes a very well known face from among our midst. He was one of the most whole hearted and genial of our citizens. Apart from his legal standing he was endeared to many by his kindly manners and his generosity. Landing on these shores a stranger and having to fight his way upward, he never forgot his early days and was always kindly and helpful to any young man who had his way to work in the world. Many a man today remembers the word spoken in season, and the helping hand of the dead judge. His funeral, which was postponed yesterday on account of the inclement weather, will be attended by many true mourners who had no dealings with the judge in his official capacity.

It is indeed unfortunate that another conspiracy story must be carried to the States by the outgoing steamer. The injury done by these, to us, incidental happenings that hardly cause a ripple in the business community, is almost equal to a full fledged revolt in its effect upon our business interests abroad. The imaginative mind has full scope and it is always easier to spread a false impression; the tendency of human nature is to listen to the exaggeration in preference to plain facts. Although we have conspirators we also know how to take care of them. The men now in prison were apprehended a short time after their arrival. The police department is on the alert, the public has implicit confidence in the strength of the government and the peace and quiet usual in Hawaii reigns supreme.

SAN FRANCISCO merchants are apparently very much exercised over the appearance of large quantities of Japanese goods in the American markets. Agents for Japanese firms are placing orders for goods at such surprisingly low rates that one merchant cabled to Japan to make sure he was not being imposed upon. In this influx of manufactures from the Orient the advocates of a protective tariff see an opportunity to attack the tariff laws promulgated by the Fifty-third Congress, and to the casual observer their claims seem to be fairly well founded. A close investigation, however, proves the fallacy of these arguments. A great proportion of Japanese goods can pay as high duties as were imposed under the McKinley law, and then be placed on the market at prices which Americans cannot touch, but which give the Japanese manufacturer a very good profit. The business houses of the United States will discover sooner or later that they cannot fight Japanese competition with tariff laws.

The official visit of Mr. Joseph Marsden to Hamakua is timely. Our forests need looking after. The success that has attended the Government experiment on the hills back of the Lunalilo Home and Oahu College should encourage private enterprise in the same direction. On the Kukuihaele estate, Hamakua, considerable care has been bestowed on the forest land with good results, and some good work in the same direction has been done at Lihue, Kauai. Owners of property should take a thorough interest in improving their forest lands. All over Europe and in India the greatest care is now taken of the forests, and large sums of both public and private money are expended for the purpose of improving and extending them. We have no doubt that the visit of Mr. Marsden to Hamakua will result in an interesting report which will be of value to other landholders besides those of the district visited.

DIFFICULTY OF WRITING HISTORY

Some idea of the difficulty of getting at historic truth, even in recent events of which there have been numerous witnesses, is given by M. d'Harcourt, who takes as an instance the report of Marshal McMahon on the battle of Solferino: "It was on the day after the battle," says M. d'Harcourt, "and we were still on the summit of the ridge where the battle came to an end. Lying or sitting in a very narrow space, we could none of us do anything without the knowledge of the rest. The Marshal asked the general at the head of his staff to prepare the outlines of the report. The latter ordered two of his officers to draw up the document, and they immediately set to work. It seemed easy enough. The whole field of battle was in sight. All the staff officers who had carried orders were there within a few yards. The very source of the most trustworthy and complete information was at hand. The officers, therefore, drew up their report with a full knowledge of their work; but when it was handed to the head of the staff he objected, and asserted that the affair had taken place quite differently—the enemy was at that moment in front, and not on the left; the enemy had been hurled back by this corps, and not by that; a movement only mentioned cursorily had decided the day, etc. In short, the whole report had to be remodeled under the direction of the general.

"When the corrections had been made, the report was handed to the Marshal; but scarcely had he perused it before he declared it incorrect from beginning to end. 'You are utterly wrong,' he cried, 'the flanking movement took place much later; I remember perfectly the orders I gave and why I gave them.' But," expostulated the officer he was addressing, 'you gave the orders to me, and I also think I remember them.' Finally, the report already once corrected, was corrected again, until nothing was left of the original."

Thus, continues the narrator of this episode, documents relating to an event only lasting a few hours, and taking place in broad daylight, although apparently most authentic, and written without any bias by men who had the best opportunity of knowing the facts, these documents can only inspire us as far as details are concerned, with very moderate confidence. What then will be the case when the question is of political events, when intrigue will play its part, and the actors will be led by party passion to represent history in different aspects. From this difficulty of obtaining an exact knowledge of facts, M. d'Harcourt is led to the conclusion that no very solid basis is given to social science by history.

'TIS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS.

A FEW days ago, the editor of this paper received a more or less lengthy epistle from one of the good solid citizens of this town setting forth in vigorous language, reasons why his name should not have appeared in the paper in connection with an every day sort of an incident. Our friend claims that on this occasion mentioned he was on his own private business, and it was nobody's business what he did anyway; he considered the reporter an impertinent jackass and asked for no further notoriety. The communication we refer to was not out of the usual order of affairs. A great many similar documents are placed on the editor's table from time to time. They come from respectable men too—good fellows who ought to know better.

There are a great many people in Honolulu and many other cities, who cannot realize that it is impossible for the newspapermen of the city to take the time to go before a justice of the peace and swear that each and every item they use is correct, and every person whose name is mentioned has given his or her consent to be so named in bold black ink in a newspaper. Even easy going

Honolulu isn't slow enough for this method, and besides, our friends who complain like to read about other people and would raise a sad hue and cry if this event or that function which came under his attention did not appear in print. In other words the definition of a good newspaper in the minds of many people is, "A medium that tells everything about everybody, but never speaks of me—except when I say so." Such people really ought to establish a newspaper colony of their own, and we venture the assertion that the colony would break up in a row before the end of three weeks.

One time a man was passing through one of the smaller cities of the world and he was told by a friend, "This is a small city, and you must expect small people." This is a small town and the people take considerable interest in small affairs, even to the extent of taking note of those who go from one district of the island to another. The newspapers tell the story of the day and, naturally enough, there are some disgruntled ones among those who figure in the narrative. And there always will be the disgruntled ones so long as the papers continue to tell the story honestly and with absolute impartiality. When the people buy papers to learn what is going on it is useless for our friends to write us that it is nobody's business what they do.

ACCORDING to late reports from Madagascar the Hovas are perfectly satisfied with French rule and are not likely to again rise in rebellion. Under the new treaty France will represent Madagascar in all foreign relations. French officers will reorganize the army of the Hovas, and the Queen promises to be guided by the French President in all her actions. The French have complete sway and are not inclined to conceal their pleasure at having outwitted whatever designs England may have had on the territory. Deputy Mahy says: "We do not fear British competition in Madagascar. We need that country as an outlet for our own overproduction. Neither do we care to have Mr. Rhodes's pioneers there, who are ready and waiting to colonize the territories we have pacified. We want neither English nor German nor Italian colonists in the island. If necessary, we can colonize the island with such of our people who are dangerous but yet reformable." This theory of colonizing taken up in Madagascar ought to furnish food for thought in this country.

THE rain storm of yesterday was very much needed. The country outside Honolulu has been very dry, but the good soaking, steady rain that we have had has been worth thousands of dollars both to planters and cattle men. We have not had a thoroughly good rainy season for over two years, and now that it has set in it is to be hoped that it will continue. Underground natural reservoirs must be low and need replenishing. Several of the artesian wells have fallen forty inches during the last two years. By some it is thought that the cause of this decrease is the pumping for irrigation at Ewa, but a gentleman who has watched these wells carefully feels assured that such is not the case. It will be interesting to know in the course of two or three weeks what effect this heavy downpour has on the wells.

THE anti-annexationists of the Eastern States are hilarious over the fact that Eastern newspapers refuse to use Hawaiian news, the conclusion being that "the Hawaiian question is dead." If the circulation of such yarns as were the rule about a month ago is evidence of the demise of the Hawaiian question, we are pleased to know that it is dead. The time has come for quiet systematic work. That work is being done and will come to the surface before many months have passed.

Flags were flying at half mast from Government buildings yesterday out of respect to the late Justice Bickerton.

NEW ZEALAND LAND LAW.

The Attorney-General and Senator George N. Wilcox devoted themselves, during their tour in New Zealand, to a very thorough examination of the working of the land law of 1892. There was found to be quite a difference of opinion in the Colony upon certain of its features. Some were in favor of the lease in perpetuity, others the perpetual lease, others the right-of-purchase lease, and others yet again for the deferred-payment lease. The lease in perpetuity is for 999 years, while the perpetual lease is renewed every thirty years upon a revaluation of the land. When a section of land is surveyed and divided into parcels, the applicants can take their choice of land under any of three leaseholds. Since the law went into operation, in 1892, more holdings have been taken up under the lease in perpetuity than any other.

One point investigated was the strictness with which the conditions of the leases were enforced. It was found that the conditions of residence and improvement were strictly enforced. At the same time the New Zealand Government aids the settlers by making, under certain circumstances, limited advances of money and also by giving employment.

In general, the system of dealing with public land in New Zealand seems to have resulted in inducing settlers to take up small estates in many parts which would otherwise have remained unimproved indefinitely. Under the guidance of Mr. S. Perry Smith, the Surveyor-General, the Attorney-General and Mr. Wilcox visited various localities in which lands were being taken up and settled upon. They found sections being laid out in mountainous regions and in forests presenting far greater difficulties to the settler than any to be encountered in the Hilo and Puna districts of Hawaii. We feel confident that as fine a population as that of New Zealand will in time occupy and build up fortunes in our outlying districts. There is no doubt that the information obtained by the Attorney-General on the New Zealand land system will be of great value. An ounce of experience and seeing with one's own eyes is worth half a ton of blue books and reports.

THE Atchison Globe announces that Miss Mary Snodgrass, who has been a cheerful and tireless chaperon for her young friends for the past five years, has given notice that she will no longer, under any circumstances, be chaperon again. She has ruined her health by staying out nights when she should have been in bed, has never received any pay and has been compelled to give more wedding presents than any one else in town. In addition, parents abused her for staying at parties so late, and her charges called her a crank for going home so early. Those who obtained partners for life while under her care abuse her for their disappointments, and those who are still single and growing old talk of the men they might have had if it had not been for her "mean" interference. For five years Miss Snodgrass has been constantly in society, but she has led a dog's life, and her resolution to leave it forever is a good one. If all the women who are called to act in the same capacity would follow Miss Mary's example society would not suffer.

A Significant Departure.

With the departure of another year when a review is made of the condition of affairs, it is only right that some thought be given to the physical body which enables everyone to battle with life's problems and figure for themselves the profit or loss on the trial balance sheet. Though the bank account may be large and each one's material gain be great, it would not be surprising if it suddenly dawned upon many that good health has been greatly impoverished by the low condition of the blood. It is in this state that the lactic acid in the vital fluid attacks the fibrous tissues, particularly the joints, making known the local manifestations of rheumatism. Thousands of people have found in Hood's Sarsaparilla the great blood purifier, a positive and permanent cure for rheumatism. HOBSON DRUG CO., wholesale agents.

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W. G. Irwin in Rome.

A Rome, Italy, paper of Nov. 2d contains a paragraph noting the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Irwin there, from an extended visit to northern Europe. Mr. Irwin and family have arrived in America, but they are not expected to return to the islands for some time.

MR. DUANE, OF AUCKLAND.

We shall print the whole of Mr. Isaac Duane's letter, only regretting that it is not longer. He might have mentioned that June, the month in which he wrote, is the coldest month in the year in his country, and January the hottest. He might also have reminded us that New Zealand is almost as large as Great Britain, with a much more desirable climate. He might further have said that it is a wholesome place to live in, as it contains few physical sources of disease, and possesses no insect so noxious as the English wasp. Yet on reading his letter we shall find that those attractive islands in the far Southern Sea are not free from an enemy we are called upon to fight here in England, as elsewhere throughout the world.

"I have much pleasure in writing you," says Mr. Duane, "as to me it is a privilege as well as a duty to describe an experience in which I am confident you will be interested."

"Ever since I was a boy I have not only suffered from indigestion in its worst form, but I have been a martyr to it. Such success I have achieved in curing it has been in the face of the constant opposition as to the cause of the complaint. All its symptoms are familiar to me as the smoke of London is to a dweller in that rather grim old city. The indigestion in the month, the bitter appetite, the distress in the stomach after eating, the pains in the chest and back, the dull headache, the sense of weariness and fatigue, the depression of spirits, the want of ambition to take hold of any labour, the weakness resulting from a lack of sufficient nourishment, &c.—all these were part and parcel of my life from my youth to a time I am going to speak of in a moment."

"I can only account for it by assuming that I must have inherited a tendency to this disease. At all events it cast a gloom over my whole history up to the date of my recent happy deliverance. The record of the sleepless, wretched nights I passed would make almost a volume by itself. Times beyond counting I have arisen from my bed in the morning, glad the night was gone, and yet in no frame of mind to welcome the day. To the chronic dyspeptic rest does not bring strength as it does to others."

"I made every effort to obtain a cure by medicine after medicine—now something of a habit of myself and then something advertised in the newspapers. And as to doctors (against whom I desire to say not a word), I tried one after another, and faithfully used the prescriptions they gave me, but nothing more than a temporary relief came of it."

"About four years ago a friend spoke to me of the great reputation of Mother Seal's Syrup in curing all ailments of the digestion, and urged me to make a trial of it. I might as well say frankly that I had little faith that it would do me any good; but I was in such pain that I was in a mood to try anything that offered the remotest chance of a cure. So I bought a bottle, and the very first dose made me feel better. This was so cheering and hopeful that I continued taking the Syrup, and to my surprise grew better and better until I was cured. A few doses of Mother Seal's Syrup produced immediate relief, and leaves me in good health. You have my full consent to publish this letter. I am well known in Auckland and always glad to tell any one by word of mouth what a wonderful cure I have experienced which made life a burden for so many years are now gone and I am a different man. 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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Powell's Balsam is sold by leading druggists.

Minster Smith assumes his official duties today.

The Alameda took away 3,262 letters and 1,050 papers.

Mark Twain is meeting with success throughout the Colonies.

Sale of novelties at St. Andrew's school room tomorrow afternoon.

Concert by the Hawaiian Band at the Hawaiian Hotel this evening.

Weather permitting, the circus will give a performance this evening.

H. Renjes has assumed the functions as Consul for Mexico and Vice-Consul for Spain.

The two new members of the Hawaiian Band will arrive by the Warrimoo on the 24th.

Mrs. Montague-Turner arrived by the Alameda and will remain in Honolulu for some time.

The Y. M. C. A. orchestra spent two hours in practice last evening. Sixteen members were present.

Four performers for Wirth's circus are expected to arrive by the next steamer from the Colonies.

Company F returned to town yesterday from their march and camp to the other side of this island.

Several of the desks in the Custom House had to be moved yesterday, owing to a number of leaks in the building.

The funeral of the late Justice Bickerton was postponed until the same hour today on account of the inclement weather.

Artillery, a fine breeding animal from Australia, was taken to the Coast on the Alameda. The horse will be offered for sale.

One of the oldest inhabitants is responsible for the statement that the rainfall yesterday and last night was the heaviest in many years.

Wray Taylor's concert at Kaunakapili church tomorrow evening for the benefit of the lepers. A full house should greet the performers.

Hollister & Co. have smokers' articles in silver. These make appropriate presents for Christmas. Their stock of tobaccos is complete.

The steamship China will arrive here next Monday. Between 600 and 700 Japanese laborers for the different plantations are expected to arrive by the vessel.

Prof. B. Freimann wrote by the Alameda that he is still doing a big business in the Colonies. It is quite probable he will return to Honolulu early next February.

The rain drove the ladies into Ehlers' store yesterday for cloth suits. There are only a few left. The remarkable cheap prices is the reason for the big run on the articles.

Miss A. McArthur Crane, who has been visiting Miss McGrew, departed by the Alameda for her home in California. A large crowd of friends said farewell at the steamer.

Postmaster Davis has introduced a penny postal card into Samoa which has been artistically prepared and is in effect a step further toward the advantages of a more advanced civilization, says the Samoan Times.

George Weight, chief overseer of the Onomea sugar plantation on Hawaii, has been appointed manager of Kahuku plantation. He will assume the duties of that position in a day or so.

Prof. Hosmer was one of the departing passengers by the Alameda. He goes to San Francisco to purchase furniture and fittings for the new Paubi Bishop hall at Punahou. Prof. Hosmer will be away about a month.

Theodore Dredge, son-in-law of Alexander Young and representative of a large mercantile firm in San Francisco, was among the passengers for Honolulu by the Alameda. Mr. Dredge will return to the Coast by the Australia next Monday.

Breckinridge, the man recently convicted at Kaneohe and fined \$50 and costs, left Honolulu yesterday for the Coast. His case will be heard on appeal during the February term of the Circuit Court. Breckinridge's bondsman consented to his departure.

All the Chinese at the quarantine station signed contracts yesterday. Not the least trouble was experienced in shipping the men. Wray Taylor represented the Foreign Office at the request of Minister Cooper. Most of the Chinamen will leave today by the Ka Au Hou.

Land Commissioner J. F. Brown has gone to Hawaii.

Supreme Court term will open next Monday. Five cases compose the calendar.

It is reported that the remaining political prisoners will be pardoned Christmas day.

The Australia brought orders for the Baltimore, due to arrive here about the 15th from Japan.

Kate Field had an interview with President Dole yesterday afternoon at the Executive building.

Judge W. A. Whiting will likely be appointed to fill the vacancy on the Supreme bench, caused by the death of Justice Bickerton.

Subscribers for the Blaine Biography are notified that the books are in Honolulu and will be ready for delivery early in the new year.

Two Japanese contract laborers were brought in from Ewa last night to serve sentences of six months each for deserting their employers.

Mrs. Montague-Turner had a handsome necklet presented to her by the Mayor of Sydney at her benefit performance in that city on October 17th.

F. S. Dodge is now in Europe investigating the different systems of sewerage. He is expected to leave San Francisco for home on January 21st.

G. P. Wilder has in his possession a fine photograph of the disabled steamer Belgic lying ashore at Yokohama. The picture shows the marks of the liner's injuries very distinctly.

Thomas Cook & Sons announce an excursion to the islands from San Francisco by the Mariposa, leaving February 6th. Second section by the Australia, on the 15th of the same month.

Dr. Chalmers, quarantine officer at San Francisco, has been reprimanded by the Board of Health because he neglected or refused to fumigate the steamship Australia after having been directed to do so.

The 109 Chinese contract laborers at the quarantine station have been assigned as follows: Meier & Kruse 30, Laupahoehoe Sugar Co. 13, Waiakaa Mill 16, Haiku Sugar Co. 15, Paia Plantation 5, and Paauhau Plantation 30.

Wallace R. Farrington, editor of the ADVERTISER, leaves by the Alameda for a short business trip to the Coast. During Mr. Farrington's absence Alatau T. Atkinson will act as editorial writer for the ADVERTISER and GAZETTE.

Persons having claims against the Interior department, or any of its bureaus, are requested to present the same through the proper channel prior to January 9th, 1896, as department accounts for the present year will be closed on that date.

Editor Charles M. Shortridge, of the San Francisco Call, has declared war against Dan Burns, the Republican boss. He is heart and soul for Claus Spreckels for United States Senator, and would like to have for himself M. H. de Young's place on the National Republican Committee.

Special attention is called to the display of "Aluminum Beauties" in the windows of the Hawaiian Hardware Co. These goods made up in the style of toilet articles are something new and should be seen. They also mention the B. & H. lamp and the 5 o'clock lamp. See their advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

Big Shipment of Bananas.

Twelve hundred bunches and boxes of bananas were shipped to the Coast by the Alameda. Half of the number belonged to Campbell, Marshall & Co., and were brought up in cars of the Oahu railway. In order to facilitate handling, the cars were run on a scow and brought to the Oceanic dock and the bananas loaded directly on the vessel, thereby saving much time.

Exhibition in Hungary.

The consul for Hungary has sent to this office a most interesting pamphlet upon the approaching millenium exhibition to be held in that country. The pamphlet contains a very concise history of the ancient kingdom from the pen of Dr. Csanki and also valuable information relative to industry, commerce and education of the country.

Gift to Oahu College.

Colonel and Mrs. W. F. Allen have presented to the art collection at Oahu College a pair of bronze panels, the subjects being a Nubian chief and his wife. The figures are in bas relief and are handsomely enamelled.



SOMEWHAT AGED, BUT STILL IN THE RING. The Public felt in Press, 1895—Corbett and Fitzsimmons met in a cafe today and discussed the great fight of 1893.

PATTERNS AND PRICES

Of the following dress goods will be sent to any address on request, viz:

FRENCH DRESS FABRICS, Imported direct from Paris, LOVELY DESIGNS.

SCOTCH GINGHAMS In checks and stripes, : : : : NICE TINTS.

NAVY BLUE and GREY SERGES, Just the thing for walking and riding SKIRTS.

All Enquiries Cheerfully Answered.

L. B. KERR, P. O. BOX 306, HONOLULU.

VISIT OF IRISH PATRIOT.

Michael Davitt, Home Rule Advocate, in Honolulu.

HOPEFUL FOR FUTURE OF IRELAND

Believes Time Near at Hand When Ireland's Needs Will Be Recognized and Granted by Great Britain—One of the Remarkable Men of the Time.

As announced exclusively by this paper a few days ago, Michael Davitt, M. P., was among the through passengers on the Alameda. That gentleman spent the few hours while the steamer was in port visiting various points of interest. On account of the inclement weather and his brief stay in the city, Mr. Davitt could not see as much as he desired, only the Executive building and prison being visited.

In a short talk with a representative of the ADVERTISER just previous to the departure of the Alameda, Mr. Davitt stated that he had been absent from his native land since last April. During the time he had been delivering lectures throughout the Colonies. The people there seemed pleased to hear what he had to say about Ireland and the labor question in Great Britain. While on this tour there had been an election and change of government in his country. He was pleased to be able to say that he had been returned to parliament from two constituencies, and would not be able to decide which to accept until the Speaker of the Commons could be conferred with.

The great Home Rule advocate spoke hopefully of the future of the Green Isle, and was confident the Conservative government would extend much needed relief to Ireland in the matter of home legislation. He believed the time near at hand when Britain would consent to the granting of concessions asked and prayed for by Irish patriots. In speech, Mr. Davitt is very impressive, and in discussion of those who

are opposed to him in political life only the most magnanimous utterances are made. He is not only one of the most conspicuous leaders of the Home Rule party, but a man who may be regarded as one of the most remarkable of the time.

Arrested for Making Liquor.

Since licenses have been granted Chinese to sell a certain kind of liquor by the bottle, the police have been on the alert to see that the provisions of the sale were not violated. Policeman David Kapaa was put to watch the Celestials, and last night succeeded in catching Chong San in the act of distilling a preparation of his own that he was to sell as okolehao. Chong was arrested. Two demijohns, several bottles and a quantity of distilling paper were taken as evidence against him. His bail has been fixed at \$1000.

HOME FROM THE COLONIES.

Minister Smith and Senator G. N. Wilcox Returns.

Attorney-General W. O. Smith and Senator G. N. Wilcox returned from their trip to New Zealand yesterday. Both gentlemen report having had a delightful visit. They were royally entertained while in the Colonies, and speak in the highest praise of the country. Minister Smith has gained in flesh, and expresses himself as much benefitted by his vacation. The Minister and Mr. Wilcox had abundant opportunity for studying the land laws of New Zealand—the primary object of their trip. Delightful weather was experienced on the voyage both coming and going. Several of the passengers by the Alameda said that Minister Smith was quite a favorite on board, so much so that those traveling in the cabin gave the Hawaiian official a send-off the last evening aboard. This was in the form of a mock trial, one of the passengers being tried for talking another to death. Mr. Smith acted as judge of the court, with Michael Davitt, M. P., as prosecuting attorney. The man was convicted of the charge and fined according to a statute made and prepared for the occasion.

The board of supervisors of the city of San Francisco has passed a resolution favoring the early construction of the Nicaragua Canal, which will be read at the Trans-Mississippi Congress now in session at Omaha.

BY AUTHORITY.

Sale of Public Lands in the District of Puna, Hawaii.

ON SATURDAY, January 11th, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon at the front entrance of Judiciary Building, will be sold at Public Auction 5 lots of lands in Keeloe and Kamaile, Puna, Hawaii.

No. Lot.	ACRES.	COST SURVEY.	UPSET PRICE.
1	50	\$27.50	\$150
2	150	\$25.00	450
3	150	\$25.00	450
4	150	\$25.00	450
5	50	27.50	150

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

No person will be allowed to purchase more than one lot.

The terms of the sale are cash, or, at the option of the purchaser, one-fourth of the purchase price cash and the remainder in equal instalments in one, two and three years, with interest payable semi-annually at the rate of seven per cent. per annum.

Each purchaser shall begin substantial cultivation and improvement of his lot during the first year and shall continue such cultivation through the succeeding two years.

At the end of the third year, if all conditions have been performed by purchaser, he shall receive patent conferring Fee Simple Title.

Failure to perform the above conditions shall work forfeiture of interest in land.

In case of forfeiture, land to be sold at auction by the Government, and if such sale result in advance on the original price, the original purchaser to receive therefrom the amounts of his payments to the Government on account of purchase, without the interest, and a pro rata share in such advance in proportion to the amounts of his payments. If such sale shall result, however, in a less price than the original, the amount returnable to him shall be charged with a pro rata amount of such decrease proportioned to the amounts of his payments.

An agreement shall be signed by each purchaser, with the Government, covering these conditions, and an assignment of such agreement shall work a forfeiture thereof.

The Government reserves the right to a strip 60 feet wide across these lots if the same is needed for extension of a main road in Puna, said strip to be taken without compensation if across uncultivated land.

Each purchaser shall pay the cost of survey together with the first instalment of the purchase price immediately after the sale.

Plan showing survey may be seen at the Public Lands Office, Judiciary Building, Honolulu, or at the office of E. D. Baldwin, Hilo, Hawaii, where further particulars can be obtained.

J. F. BROWN,
Agent of Public Lands.
1715-3t

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

HONOLULU, December 9, 1895.

Under Article 35, Section 1 of the Constitution, it is required that each member of the Cabinet shall make an annual report of the transaction within his Department, during the year ending December 31st.

The Minister of Finance takes this occasion to request all those having claims against the Government of a monetary nature, to present them to this office, through the proper Departments, not later than 12 o'clock noon on TUESDAY, January 14, 1896, after which date the books of this Department will be closed.

All persons having money on account of the Government are requested to make their returns promptly, in order that there may be no delay in closing the accounts for the year ending December 31, 1895.

S. M. DAMON,
Minister of Finance.
4170-12t 1714-4t

SEALED TENDERS.

Will be received at the office of the Minister of the Interior till 12 o'clock noon of MONDAY, December 30th 1895, for the construction of a teacher's cottage at Kalapana, Puna, Hawaii.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the Superintendent of Public Works, also at the office of the Tax Assessor at Hilo.

The Minister does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any bid.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, Dec. 6, 1895.
1714-3t

Mr. A. J. Wilson has this day been appointed Chairman of the Road Board for the Taxation District of South Kona, Island of Hawaii, vice A. Grainberg, resigned.

The Board now consist of
A. J. Wilson, Chairman;
S. Lazaro.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, Dec. 5, 1895.
1714-3t

WEDNESDAY, December 25th, 1895, being Christmas day, and WEDNESDAY, January 1st, 1896, being New

Year's day, will be observed, as National Holidays, and all Government offices throughout the Republic will be closed on those days.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, Dec. 9, 1895.
1714-3t

Mr. J. L. W. ZUMWALT has this day been appointed a member of the Board of Inspector of Animals for the Port of Kahului, Island of Maui.

The Board now consists of
S. F. Chillingworth, Executive Inspector;
J. L. W. Zumwalt.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, December 8, 1895.
1713-3t

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT NOTICE

All persons having claims against this Department or any of its Bureaus, are requested to present the same through the proper channel prior to THURSDAY, January 9, 1896, as the Department Accounts for the year ending December 31, 1895, will be closed on that day.

J. A. KING,
Minister of the Interior.
Interior Office, Dec. 12, 1895. 4173-1t

LABORERS FOR THE PLANTERS

HAVING JUST RETURNED FROM Japan, where I have been in the interests of the labor supply for our plantations, I am prepared to furnish any number of laborers under the only practicable plan yet put forth.

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G. E. BOARDMAN,
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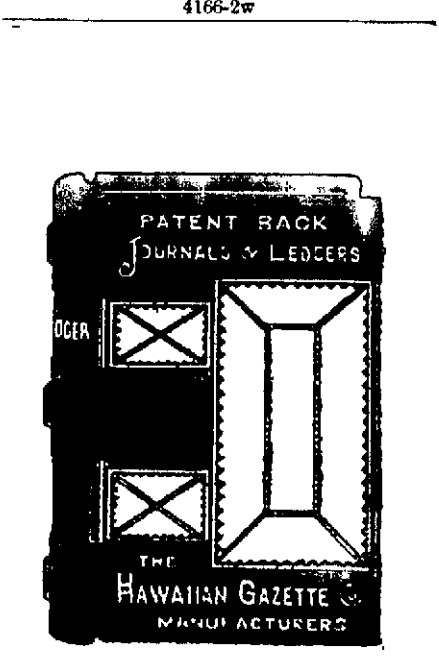
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END OF AN ABLE JURIST.

Death of Associate Justice Richard F. Bickerton Last Night.

BEEN ILL FOR A LONG TIME.

Deceased an Old Resident and Prominently Connected With the History of the Islands—Life and Sketch of an Honored and Self-Made Career.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Associate Justice Richard F. Bickerton died at Waikiki last night at 10.45 o'clock, after a lingering illness of many months. He was attacked with pneumonia a few days ago, and as his system had been seriously impaired by a



THE LATE JUSTICE BICKERTON.

long illness from a complication of organic troubles the disease could not be combatted.

Judge Bickerton was an old resident of the islands and prominently identified with the country for many years. He was a useful and honored member of the Supreme bench, and, up to the time of his demise, held the position of First Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. Arrangements for his funeral will be made today.

Mr. Justice Bickerton was, in the broad sense of the word, a self-made man, and by the exercise of that determination of character and earnestness of purpose which have characterized his entire public and private life, raised himself through his own efforts from a subordinate position on a sugar plantation to that of Associate Justice on the Supreme Bench, one of the most honorable and responsible positions in the nation.

Richard Frederick Bickerton was born in Greenwich, London, on the third day of April, 1844. He was, therefore, fifty-one years of age. His hair and beard were snowy white, which added to his distinguished presence a venerable appearance, well becoming the dignity of his office. Young Bickerton lived in England until he was about eleven years of age, when he emigrated with his parents to Melbourne, Australia. He was there educated in the ordinary collegiate branches, and being as a boy fond of adventure and sight-seeing, he began, in 1863, to travel about the Colonies, and visited the principal towns and cities of note. He next decided to visit America, and left Dunedin, New Zealand, with a small party for Victoria, B. C., expecting to stop on the way at Tahiti and Hawaii. A seven days' visit was made at Tahiti, but Hawaii was passed without the ship stopping, and Victoria was reached in April, 1863. After a short stay in that city, he next went to San Francisco, where he remained for about a year, and engaged in stock operations in a modest way.

In April, 1864, he came to Honolulu on his return to Australia, without any intention of remaining, but becoming favorably impressed with the country and with the great opportunities and prospects he saw in the sugar industry, he determined to make it his permanent residence and wrote his father in Australia to that effect. Mr. Bickerton had letters from friends in San Francisco to prominent business men in Honolulu, among which was one to W. L. Green, who, in 1874, became Premier in the Cabinet of King Kalakaua. This gentleman afforded the subject of this sketch an opportunity to learn the sugar business, by securing for him a position on the Kalakaua plantation, on the island of Oahu. After two or three years of practical experience, Mr. Bickerton became the manager; and when, soon after this, Janion, Green & Co. were going into liquidation, he gathered together all his means and purchased their entire interest. After several years of hard work this enterprise was abandoned as unprofitable, and Mr. Bickerton was fortunate in getting out of it even with the world, as it has since been found that the land and locality were only suited to rice-growing, to which it is now devoted. Although he then looked upon the years thus spent as so much time lost, the experience which he acquired has since stood him in good stead, and has been of inestimable benefit to him in his extensive operations in sugar plantations.

During Mr. Bickerton's early life he had a most decided predilection for the study of law, and even up to the close of his unsuccessful operations in sugar planting he had never abandoned the idea of eventually adopting the legal profession as his future call-

ing, and had devoted his spare time to reading books on law with that object in view. Coming to Honolulu in 1872, he entered the office of W. C. Jones, in accordance with the law which required that any applicant for admission to the bar should have studied in the office of a practicing attorney for at least one year. During this time Mr. Bickerton applied himself studiously, and in addition to his law reading he did considerable business in the way of conveyancing and other real estate work.

In 1875 he applied for admission to the bar, which, after he had passed the examination, was granted him, and he at once opened an office of his own. He was not long in building up a thriving business, which continued to grow until it assumed extensive proportions. In 1882 he was appointed Police Judge, which office he filled, in addition to his practice before the Supreme Court, for about four years, and is conceded to have been one of the most efficient Police Judges who have ever filled that office in Honolulu.

In December, 1886, he was appointed to the Supreme Bench as Third Associate Justice, and four years later, upon the death of Mr. Justice Edward Preston, Hon. R. F. Bickerton was promoted to be Second Associate Justice. This gentleman has been several times offered the Attorney Generalship, which honor he has each time respectfully declined. In 1878 he held a seat in the Legislature, to which he was elected as representative from Hamakua, Hawaii.

Upon the accession of Queen Liliuokalani to the throne, Justice Bickerton was appointed a member of the Privy Council of State. In 1871 this gentleman married Miss A. Hughes, who died four years later. In 1878 he espoused Miss Frances T. Spencer, a lady of Australian nativity, who, with her parents, was shipwrecked off the island of Oahu when she was an infant. Their family consists of four children, three of whom were by Judge Bickerton's first wife. The boys are now at Washington College, Tacoma, of which this gentleman has the highest opinion, having, after personal investigation, selected it for the education of his children. His married daughter, a young lady of eighteen, is also living in Tacoma.

As a Judge and Jurist, Hon. R. F. Bickerton has been even more successful than as an attorney. His decisions were made with great care, and after scrupulous consideration in the cause of justice and right. In business matters Judge Bickerton was a man of shrewdness and sagacity, of which numerous transactions that have added to his fortune give ample evidence, while his private life was that of a gentleman of culture and refinement.

THE LAST SAD RITES.

Obsequies of the Late Associate Justice Bickerton.

Semi-Military in Character—Order of Procession—Full Bearers—Line of March from Waikiki.

Arrangements were perfected yesterday for the funeral of the late Justice Bickerton. The obsequies will take place from the residence at Waikiki, where the late Justice died, at 2 p.m. today, Rev. Alex. Mackintosh officiating. A military escort of thirty-two men from Companies E and F, under command of Major J. W. Jones, will join the procession at the King street entrance to the Executive building and march to Nuanu cemetery via King, Fort, Kukui and Nuanu streets.

ORDER OF PROCESSION.
Platoon of Police under Capt. Parker.
Government Band.
Military Escort.
Companies E and F, First Regiment, under command of Major Jones.
Undertaker.
Official clergyman.
Hearse.
Pallbearers in carriages.
Chief mourners.
President Dole and Aide.
Members of Cabinet.
Diplomatic corps.
Justices of Supreme Court.
Members of the Bar.
General public.

The pallbearers will be Judge W. A. Whiting, Judge J. A. Magoon, A. S. Hartwell, Cecil Brown, Henry Smith, S. K. Kane, F. A. Schaefer, W. F. Allen, H. A. Widemann, George C. Ross, with Minister Cooper and L. A. Thurston as alternates.

AGAIN AT WORK.

Rev. Eric Lewis Accepts Call to Grass Valley, Cal.

The many Honolulu friends of Rev. Eric Lewis will be glad to know that since going to California his health is much improved and that he has lately been installed pastor of the Christian church in Grass Valley. A local paper speaks of him thus: "Rev. Eric Lewis, the new pastor of the Christian church, is a graduate of the University of Cambridge and is a scholarly gentleman. His knowledge has been ripened by extensive travels, and he will, no doubt, make a good impression in Grass Valley. Mr. Lewis was one of the first missionaries to go to South Africa, which place he was compelled to leave on account of ill-health. He filled the pulpit for a time in North London, and afterward labored in Honolulu. Mr. Lewis spent two years in Switzerland, and has visited Algiers and the mountains of Kabytia, St. Helena and the Canary Islands, and Sydney, New South Wales."

ALLEGED CONSPIRATORS.

Case Postponed in Order to See Consul-General Mills.

Underwood and Sheridan Appear Before Judge Perry Without Counsel. United States Not to Interfere.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

J. K. Sheridan, alias W. J. Sheridan, and Frank Underwood, with the prefix of "doctor," the two men who are in the custody of Marshal Brown charged with conspiring to overthrow the Government of Hawaii, made their first appearance before a magistrate yesterday morning.

Both men appeared in anything but a pleasant frame of mind and apparently realized the magnitude of the serious charges preferred against them.

Marshal Brown believes there is evidence enough against both of the men to make conviction sure.

The men appeared before Judge Perry yesterday, unrepresented by attorney. Both men's faces bore traces of anxiety. The prisoners asked Marshal Brown's permission to consult with the American Consul before they were tried, and a continuance was granted until today.

Consul-General Ellis Mills held a conference with the prisoners last evening in the Marshal's office. Mr. Mills says both men claim New York as their place of birth. The Consul was asked what action he would take, and replied that as far as he could see into the case there was no valid reason why the United States government should interfere in the matter.

HONOR THEIR LATE CAPTAIN.

Co. G Pass Resolution of Condolence on Death of Henry Kaia.

Company G held a special business meeting last night, most every member being present. The following resolution of condolence over the death of Henry Kaia, late captain of the company was passed:

Whereas—Henry Kaia, captain of the company, has departed from this life; and

Whereas—Deceased was a man of sterling worth, and one in whom we reposed confidence and esteem for his ability and energy;

Resolved—That we take this means of expressing our sincere regret and sorrow over the sad ending of his life;

Resolved—That to his sorrowing relatives we extend condolence and sympathy;

Resolved—That this memorial be spread upon the records of Company G, N. G. H., and copies forwarded to headquarters of the First Regiment, N. G. H., and to the press of the city.

Nominations were then made for captain. The name of First Lieutenant John M. Kea was placed in nomination. Election will take place Tuesday evening. While no other name was put in last night for the vacant captaincy, nominations will remain open till the election evening. It is believed that Second Lieutenant Charles Wilcox, and perhaps others, will be among the candidates. Should Kea be elected to the captaincy, Wilcox will become first lieutenant, making an election for second lieutenant necessary. There will be six or more candidates for this position.

From Prof. Brigham.

MR. EDITOR:—Certain statements in your issue of December 10th require correction. I am not "contemplating a trip to the States." I am not aware that "a mammoth tropical aquarium and school of biology" is to be established here, certainly no such institution could be founded with so small a sum as \$250,000. I am glad to learn that Professor Jordan, who is a great authority on fishes, is coming to consult the promoters of the scheme. May they be enabled to carry out what would be of great value to this town, if not to students generally.

WM. T. BRIGHAM.

Did He Mean Hawaii?

An old admiral, well known for his power of exaggeration, was describing a voyage, at supper one night. "While cruising in the Pacific," he said, "we passed an island which was red with lobsters." "But," said one of the guests smiling incredulously, "lobsters are not red until boiled." "Of course not," replied the undaunted admiral; "but this was a volcanic island, with boiling springs!"—Pearson's Weekly.

Entertained on the Bennington.

Lieutenant Speyers entertained a party of ladies on board the Bennington yesterday. They were Mrs. J. O. Carter, Miss Sadie Carter, Mrs. Ellis Mills, Mrs. W. P. Boyd, Misses Belle and Agnes Walker.

A Chinese fruit merchant who has apparently absorbed an indescribable inspiration from the new cold-storage proposition, made a ten-strike yesterday by putting in a conspicuous place the sign, "Cold Apple on Ice." Thus do the delicacies of the Honolulu market multiply.

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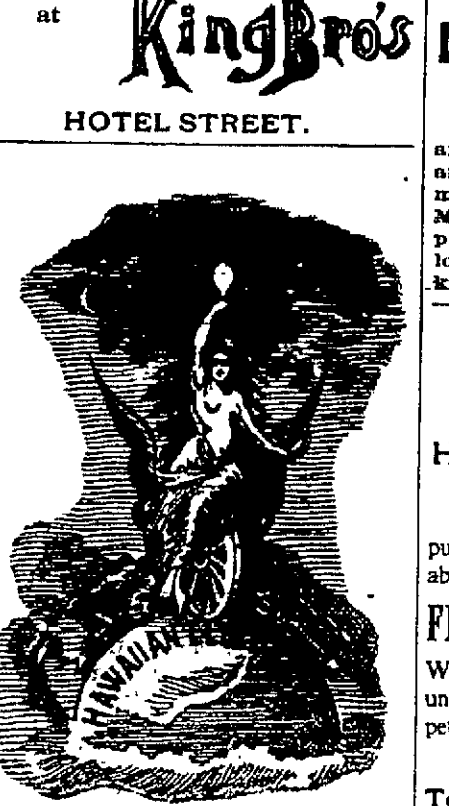
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"To stimulate an interest in art,"
"to afford opportunities for its study
and advancement," and "to establish
a permanent art center in Hawaii,"
are three of the objects for which the
Kilohana Art League was formed.
An association with so much energy
and ambition cannot fail to do good
in Honolulu, and already it is able to
begin its admirable work of educating
and applauding home talent.

In no better way can this endeavor
be carried out than by giving atten-
tion to those who are attending school.
Having a lot of children come in one
door and pass out of the next, like so
many sheep, would be labor lost. In
forming a suitable plan for having the
children of Honolulu visit the exhibi-
tion, this difficulty was avoided by
establishing an important object for
going.

The boys and girls are going with
the firm determination of winning one
of the valuable prizes and gaining the
distinction of doing the same. Next
best will be the names on the roll of
honor in each school. This will be
the list of the best compositions in the
school, one being taken from each
room. Each individual cannot expect
a prize, and the League is surely very
generous in giving one to each school.
It has been found best not to have
this compulsory, and many are visit-
ing the exhibit who do not care to
write a composition and try for the
prizes. For the children the entrance
fee has been reduced from twenty-five
cents to ten cents. The association is
a young one, and it is better to
have a smaller number come with
an object in view, than to
put the visit at too low a valuation.

Already the Punahou Preparatory,
the High school, the Kawaiahao
Seminary, the Chinese school and the
Royal school have attended, and in
due season the committee will give
each school a chance of accepting their
liberal invitation. By visiting the
exhibits in a body, or in lots of at
most fifty each, of observing and
studying what they see and compet-
ing for the prizes by writing composition
on "What I saw at the Exhibi-
tion," there will be lots of lifting be-
fore the lucky seventeen are chosen.
First, each teacher is to examine her
papers and select her best. All of
these will be on the roll of honor.
Then the teachers and principal to-
gether will agree upon the very best
of these, the writer of which is the
prize winner of that school. There
will be seventeen at least and perhaps
more. Who is to have first choice?

A committee of three gentlemen in
the league who are not interested in
any one school will number them.
As this will be a very trying duty,
gentlemen of very high standing
socially and educationally will be
selected. A committee who will very
conscientiously regard the grade, age
and nationality of each of the winning
writers. A sense of fairness has
been the eager ambition of the ladies
who are now going the rounds. In
this way the Kilohana Art League
will not only improve themselves and
educate the public, but also bring the
children to observe and remember
what they see. The many advan-
tages to be derived can be seen by all.
It will teach the children how to look
at a piece of work and know an oil
painting from a chromo, and perhaps
and those who are teaching draw-
ing. True it is that the League is an
association to be applauded on its in-
tentions to do good to the greatest
number in its very best way.

The following is a list of schools
that the committee of ladies have, or
are going to visit, and extend the
above privileges to:

High school, Oahu College, Iolani
College, Kawaiahao seminary, Puna-
hou Preparatory, Kamehameha Girls',
Kamehameha Boys', Kamehameha
Preparatory, Fort St. school, Royal
school, St. Louis College, Kailua
school, (Mr. A. Smith), Pohukaina
school, Beretania St. school, Kawaia-
hoo school (Government school), Chi-
nese school, St. Andrew's Priory.
If there are any schools that have not
been placed on this list and whose
people wish to visit the exhibition,
will the principal please leave notice
for the committee on schools at the
League rooms. The same privileges
are extended to any school that will
attend in a body.

Talmage on Turkey.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Rev.
T. De Witt Talmage, the noted Pres-
byterian divine, who has just begun
his ministerial labors in Washington,
tonight confirmed the statement pub-
lished in New York that he had re-
fused to go to Armenia to distribute
relief funds on account of the condi-
tion of affairs there and the refusal
of the Turkish Government to furnish
protection. He reviewed the affair
in an interview, in the course of
which he bitterly denounced the Porte
and said it had fomented the mass
sacres and retarded the work of relief.
"The Turkish Government," he
said, "is a miserable mass of corrup-
tion. Its workings are rotten to the
core, and the whole Government
ought to be blotted off the face of the
earth. The condition of affairs in
Armenia is horrible, and the Govern-
ment is responsible for the atroci-
ties."

Probably Killed by Kurds.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—William

Willard Howard, a representative of
the Christian Herald, who sailed from
New York on the steamship Teutonic
late in September on a mission of re-
lief to the persecuted Armenians, has
not been heard of for five weeks, and
is believed to have been butchered by
Kurds.

England Wants to Arbitrate.

BUENOS AYRES, Nov. 23.—The
invasion of Brazilian territory, near
the Venezuela boundary line by British
officials, is fully confirmed by late
news from Para. The Herald's corre-
spondent in Rio Janeiro telegraphs
today. The British Minister in Bra-
zil has presented to the government
England's formal proposal and plan
for arbitration of the question of own-
ership of Trilidade.

Aid for the Irish.

NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—James
Egan, one of the men arrested in Eng-
land in 1882 and sentenced to twenty
years' imprisonment on a charge of
using dynamite, but who was liber-
ated after serving nine years, was
among the passengers who arrived on
the steamship Teutonic today. Mr.
Egan was accompanied by his wife.
He was met on the dock by a dele-
gation of the Limerick Men's Associa-
tion. Mr. Egan said that his pur-
pose in visiting the United States is
to raise funds for the support of the fam-
ilies of Irish political prisoners and
also to secure aid for the prisoners
themselves.

A VOICE FOR ASHANTEE.

It Comes From England's West Indian
Colony, Jamaica.

COLON, Nov. 27.—(Special.)—The
Advocate, a Jamaica newspaper, de-
nounces as unjust the war which
England proposes to wage against
Ashantee and trusts that the Ashan-
tees may whip the British.
It expresses a desire to make its
voice ring in solemn protest against
it, as Chatham's rang when England,
120 years ago, made war upon her
own colonies in North America. g

CURE FOR LEPROSY.

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Which Is Almost Miraculous.

COLON, Nov. 23.—Advices from
Bogota say a Columbian physician,
Dr. Carrasquilla, has discovered an
effective cure for leprosy. The efficacy
of the remedy has been proved by the
cure of two persons suffering from the
disease. Leading physicians of Bogota
admit that a valuable discovery has
been made.

Maher Ready to Fight.

DETROIT, Nov. 2.—John J. Quinn,
Peter Maher's manager, says he is
ready and anxious to contest Fitz-
simmons' claims to the middle-weight
and heavy-weight championships.
Replying last night to Manager Jul-
ian's statements that Fitzsimmons
stands ready to defend both titles
against all comers last night, Quinn
said: "I will match Maher against
Fitzsimmons at any place named, for
any amount from \$5000 upward, and
will arrange that Maher fight Fitz-
simmons at any time or place which
Julian may set, whether in private or
public."

After Senator Morgan's Seat.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 1.—
Colonel Warren B. Reese has gone to
Washington to contest the election of
Senator Morgan, whose majority, he
says, was made up of votes of persons
not legally elected to the Legislature.
He has a petition signed by 30,000
white citizens, praying Congress to
erect a "Republican form of govern-
ment in Alabama."

Ahlwardt to Visit America.

BERLIN, Nov. 27.—The famous
anti-Semitic leader of the Reichstag,
Rektor Ahlwardt, sails today for New
York with the avowed purpose of in-
augurating an active campaign
against the Israelites of America.

Company D Meets.

Company D held an important
business meeting and drill at the
Drill Shed last night. Second
Lieutenant Rowell presided at the
meeting. The company was drill-
ed by Major Jones, commanding
the First Battalion.

It was decided to have an election
for an additional lieutenant next
Wednesday evening. As soon as
the successful aspirant qualifies,
Company D will be turned into an
artillery company. They will be
given charge of the recently im-
ported Driggs-Schroeder guns,
which arrived on the Aloha.

Another Damage Claim.

United States Minister Willis
has notified the Foreign Office of
George L. Ritman, one of the men
who left the country in conse-
quence of the January affair. The
Government will probably accept
the opportunity given of placing
the evidence to prove Mr. Ritman's
complicity before the State Depart-
ment.

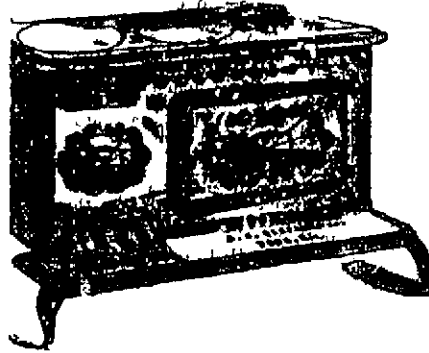
Asking Too Much.

Subjects for Congress:
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Hawaii.
Alaska.
The Treasury.
Clevelandism.—New York Sun.

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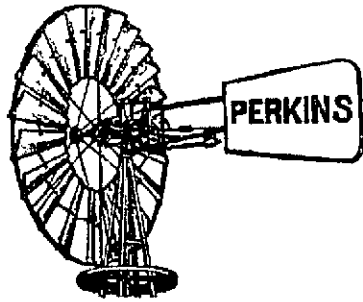
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